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IS DECAYING.

Pretty Women are Getting Very Scarce.

Says Women Fail to Nourish Beauty and Men Seem Not to Care For It.

"The United States, in the past 100 years, has certainly produced a great number of handsome women than any other civilized country, but, unfortunately, since feminine beauty defies statistics, we have no figures to compare on the subject, for all that the standard of beauty among our women grows lower every year," said a New York portrait painter whose work is known from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

"All these, however, are not the prime reasons for the decay of beauty. Men are philosophic and have learned to estimate mental over physical charm, chiefly because the new woman has not much beauty to offer. There is a notion prevalent among the gentler sex that it is very foolish to waste time nourishing her bodily charms, that there are more important callings in this world. Having decided to underestimate this great gift, she is as busy as possible destroying it.

"There are a number of reasons to be cited as responsible for the existence of this condition," he said. "One of the most potent reasons, I think, is the absolute indifference of the nine-tenth century and especially the American man to physical perfection in womanhood.

"In the process of manufacturing figs are used, as they are pleasant to the taste, but the medicinal qualities of the remedy are obtained from senna and other aromatic plants, by a method known to the CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP COMPANY. To get the best effects and to avoid imitations, please remember the full name of the Company printed on the front of every package.

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Thousands of young and middle-aged men are troubled with this disease—many unconscious. They may have a small sore, soreness, or pain, with a sharp cutting pain at times, slight discharge, difficulty in urinating, weak constitution, and all the symptoms of nervous debility—they have **STRUCTURE**.

Don't let this trouble you. This will not cure you, as it will not

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We treat and cure: EMISSIONS,

VARICOCELE, SPHINX, GLEET,

STRUCTURE, CURE UNNATURAL DISCHARGE,

FAINTING, HANDBOW, NEUROSES, POOR MEU-

STATION, SUNKEN EYES, with dark circles,

WATER BAG, GENERAL DEPRESSION, LACK

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FRIDAY, MARCH 31.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

FOR THE SENATE.

We are authorized to announce Hon. W. Fred Long as a candidate for the office of State Senator in this the Seventh Senatorial District, subject to the action of the Republican party.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

We are authorized to announce Hon. R. C. Jarnagin, of Beaver Dam, as a candidate for the nomination for Representative, subject to the action of the Republican party.

SCOTT gave as an excuse for his bad voice, speaking in the open air. But he did not attempt to explain how it was that he was so far behind and so ignorant.

"We can see nothing but disaster and defeat in much of the intolerance and bigotry that is being manifested in Democratic circles nowadays."—Herald.

That is the way we see it, neighbor; glad to be able to agree with you once.

JAMES A. SCOTT, the Democratic candidate for nomination for Attorney General, said in his speech at the court house last Friday that the purpose of the civil war was not known until 1864. A man who does not know more of his country's history than that is not bright enough to be an attorney for even a deserted village.

CANDIDATE SCOTT did not say in so many words for once that he was for free silver at 16 to 1, but he said that he was for Billie Bryan. Bryan and free silver at 16 to 1 being synonymous terms from a Democratic point of view Scott meant that he was for free silver and anything else in order to be the recipient of the honor of Attorney General.

JIM DANDY SCOTT said that he had gotten "two or three times as many judgments against corporations as any other lawyer in Kentucky." No other man ever dreamed of that but Scott. Doubtless he is like many other Democratic candidates, some of whom we have known, proud that there was once a Josh Billings who is authority on *hors tootin'*. "He that tooteth not his own horn the same shall not be tooted" haunts him day and night.

ONE of the sights of the muddy season was witnessed down town last Friday evening when James Andrew Scott put his *thirteen* in paper bags and departed on horseback for Beaver Dam. Our up-to-date merchants have first-class leggings in stock and surely a man whose income is "three or four times the amount of the Attorney General's salary" should not hesitate to call upon them. His conception might have been so narrow as to lead him to fancy that such an act of commonplace was a part of a candidate's duty, (indeed it was not in marked contrast with his appearance otherwise) but he went away without a following here. We have not heard of a Scott man in all Hartford.

COL. BRYAN, a white metal lecturer, of Nebraska, and Perry Belmont, a few hundred times millions of New York, are having a little spat that is quite interesting to the bystanders. Mr. Belmont, who is the grand sachem of a Democratic club, wrote Mr. Bryan a letter inviting him to accept a place at a Jefferson birthday dinner to be given by the New York club, but Mr. Bryan wrote back that he would not wrinkle a napkin at Mr. Belmont's table unless the New Yorker would agree to go it 16 to 1. Mr. Belmont would not agree to it at Mr. Bryan's ratio and started out campaigning for the 1900 nomination on his own account. Mr. Belmont says he is a gold man, but will support a 16 to 1 platform if his party makes it read that way. He says he favors government ownership of pretty much everything, an income and inheritance tax and the initiative and referendum. Mr. Belmont outbids the Colonel for the Populistic vote and is in favor of gold enough to galvanize his other vagaries. Bryan has the wind and Belmont has the wadlin' and it will be interesting to see which one gets the goods on the auction day.

THE Goebel managers are threatening to have the Democratic election commissioners resign and let Governor Bradley appoint Republicans to take their places if Goebel is defeated for the nomination for Governor. The Hartford Herald views the proposed action of the Goebel managers with alarm and makes this significant statement:

"Their resignation would bring about a condition of affairs both embarrassing and disastrous to the Democratic party in the State."

Why, oh, why, brother, would it be

disastrous to the Democratic party in the State? You did not mean to plead guilty to the charge that the Goebel election law was gotten up to steal the Governor's chair, did you? If the Goebel election law is such a fair measure that neither political party can gain any partisan advantage from the control of the election machinery, why would it be disastrous for Republican commissioners to succeed Ellis, Pryor & Co.? You know, neighbor—that you don't, may the angels pity you—that Goebel hatched that law to build up a machine by which his lieutenants might nominate and elect him Governor of Kentucky. If the Goebel law is a fair one, why don't you let your State convention endorse it? You know—if you don't, but you do—that the Republicans will force the Goebel election law to the front in the approaching campaign, and why won't you let your party stand by it? It is because you know that free government is outraged and you dare not go before the people as the champion of the wicked statute. You hold up your hands in horror at the threat of your commissioners to turn your vote-stealing machinery over to your political enemies, yet you are too cowardly to let your party endorse it. Hush your twaddle about Republican opposition to the Goebel election law or let your party meet the issue in the open field.

ADJUSTMENT.

The manner in which Uncle Sam is now proceeding with his business in the Philippines promises an early settlement of affairs in the East, an early

adjustment of the Eastern question is longed for by the administration and the people of this country. Not a half settlement, but a complete and final establishment of our authority in the Philippine islands is what the people of the United States demands. Anything short of this will not meet with the approbation of the enlightened people of our country. War at any time with any people is never sought, but always avoided by our government, if possible to do so honorably. But never in the history of our illustrious past have the pride and honor of our people allowed the flag of our common country to be assailed without proper vindication. By the terms of the late treaty between the United States and Spain the Philippine islands became a part of the territory of the former country. From the standpoint from which the nations of earth view the situation, it would be no greater thrust at the honor of the nation for the United States to allow one of the forty-five States of the Union to rebel and secede than to quit the East with a rebellion in its territory. A rebellion within our territory is deplorable indeed, but the supremacy of national authority must be established and recognized wherever the Stars and Stripes may float. Every true American citizen stands ready when it becomes necessary to defend the national honor, to quit the peaceful pursuits of life and leave a happy home to do battle for his country. Our unpleasant relations with the Filipinos was not brought about by the government, but was the outgrowth of an ambitious savage leader's desire to rule, augmented by unscrupulous politicians like Hoar, Bryan and Mason and by that part of the press of our country so narrow in the conception of its duty to the nation as to express sympathy for its enemies and to oppose every act of the government in suppressing the insurrection. Let us hope for an early triumph of our army and the establishment of a civil and liberal form of government in the archipelago.

SCOTT'S SPEECH.

The speech of James A. Scott, delivered at the court house last Friday, was the most complete failure ever made in Hartford. About one hundred and fifty people heard him and the universal opinion of all unbiased Democrats, and Republicans, was "a failure." He opened his speech by giving a history of his life. In the course of that brief history he said that it was not the \$4,200 salary of Attorney General that he wanted. The income from his law practice, he said, was three or four times that amount. He declared that it was the honor of the office that he sought. Turning to politics he began far away from present issues and touched upon both sides of every question which he attempted to discuss.

He scaled the heights of the civil war and brought to us knowledge of facts about which other men never heard. He declared that the policy of the first Lincoln administration was not made known until 1864 when "the cry of the constitution, the Union and the Flag" had stirred the people to loyalty and called forth the brain and sinew of the land to support the government.

He declared that the right of the South to secede was never questioned and that the rights of the people were taken from them. "A man so ignorant as all that a candidate for Attorney General of Kentucky?" Yes.

The Render Baptist church, at Ren-
der, Ky., will be dedicated on the 5th Sunday in April, 1899. The Rev. J. A. Bennett, of Fairview, Ky., will officiate.

FILIPINOS FLEEING.

Driven From Malabon, Their
Stronghold, They Leave
the Place In Flames.

Manila, March 27.—9:15 a. m.—The Filipinos are burning their stronghold at Malabon, and their forces are fleeing from the city in the direction of Malolos.

Gen. M'Arthur's division is pushing toward Malabon. The insurgents will make their last stand probably at Malolos.

PUSHING THE REBELS BEFORE THEM.

Washington, March 26.—The War Department to-night received the following:

Manila, March 26.—Adjutant General, Washington: M'Arthur's advance beyond new Canayan, two miles beyond Polo, nine miles from Manila and fifteen miles from Malolos; railroad will be repaired to advance point to-morrow and troops supplied by cars; M'Arthur will press on to-morrow; is now in open country. Insurgents stoutly resisting behind succeeding lines of intrenchments, from which troops continually drive them. City perfectly quiet, and native inhabitants appear to be relieved of anxiety and fear of insurgents. Capt. Krayenbuh, Commissary Lieutenant, third artillery, mortally wounded.

OTIS, DETERRED BY ROUGHNESS OF COUNTRY.

Washington, March 26.—The following cablegrams from Gen. Otis were received by the War Department this morning:

Manila, March 26.—Adjutant General, Washington: Attacks on hall and pumping station last night easily repulsed. M'Arthur with moving column has driven enemy, but can not gain point north of Polo on account of roughness of country; must strike railway south of that point; this will enable most of Aguinaldo's troops to escape north; still he may oppose, as best of his army, consisting of released prisoners of war, former native Spanish troops, concentrated there; this northern army will be pressed south of the city. Three thousand insurgent troops from southern Luzon provinces have concentrated, Lawton will take care of them. Affair satisfactory.

OTIS, OUR LOSS MODERATE; ENEMY HEAVY.

Manila, March 26.—Adjutant General, Washington: Entire casualties of yesterday, one officer, twenty-five enlisted men killed; eight officers, one hundred and forty-two men wounded, officer killed. Capt. Stewart, first Colorado. List cabled immediately.

To day's fighting south and around Polo determined. M'Arthur with three brigades united, having artillery cavalry, engaging enemy. Col. Egbert, twenty-second infantry, killed.

Our loss thus far moderate; enemy's heavy. Army gunboats on coast and in estuaries, west and north of Polo very efficient; troops in excellent condition and spirits.

THEIR STRONGEST INTRENCHMENTS.

Later in the day the following was received:

Manila, March 26.—Adjutant General, Washington—4:30 p.m.: M'Arthur has driven enemy strongly entrenched in large force north of Polo; will continue to press him; insurgents have strong intrenchments from Caloocan to Malolos, which have taken them months to construct.

OTIS, WHETHER OTHER FAULTS BE, CANDIDATE GOEBEL WANTS IT KNOWN THAT HE WILL NOT RIDE INTO THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE ON A COW CATCHER.

Mr. Goebel will be in high luck if he succeeds in getting through on the bumpers.

OTIS, LIQUOR CO. AMERICAN.

Friend Woodson, of the Owensboro Messenger, is flooding Hopkins county with Goebel literature in the shape of copies of his paper, the Messenger. Hopkins county, however, is not to be Goebelized this time and Urey is wasting a heap of good paper in the attempt.

OTIS, THE COLUMN WILL PRESS ON IN THE MORNING.

OTIS, NEW YORK, MARCH 29.—A dispatch to the Journal, dated Manila, Wednesday, says:

Bocage has been taken by our troops. The railroad bridge is uninjured. Gen. MacArthur is now within eight miles of Malolos.

The insurgents burned Bulacan Tuesday afternoon.

The monitor Monadnock shelled Los Pinas, south of Manila, Tuesday noon.

Maj. Gen. Otis sent the following additional report of the movement yesterday to Marilao:

Manila, March 28.—Adjutant General, Washington: MacArthur had severe fighting yesterday afternoon beyond Marilao. Brilliant charge by South Dakota, led by Frost, against armed troops of Aguinaldo, brought from Malolos. Repulsed enemy with slaughter. Adjt. Lion and Lieuts. Adams and Morrison and four enlisted men of that regiment killed. Lieut. McClelland and twenty-two enlisted men wounded. Loss yesterday mostly confined to this regiment.

Partial destruction of railroad, which is being rapidly repaired, impedes MacArthur's progress. Supply railway trains have reached Marilao, and MacArthur is pushing on. Our small gunboats are in Bulacan river, where great execution was done yesterday.

They will relieve pressure on MacArthur's front materially. Troops in excellent condition and spirits.

OTIS, PROCLAMATION, SIGNED LUNA, GENERAL.

Proclamation, signed Luna, General

al in chief of insurgent forces directs all towns abandoned be burned. In consequence thereof much country north in flames. OTIS

The above dispatch was received in Washington at 2:40 a. m., March 28. It is observed that it refers only to the fighting of yesterday, nothing being said about the operations of to-day, March 28. Gen. Greely, Chief Signal Officer, has received a dispatch from Manila, sent this morning, which is confined to routine affairs.

The Frost named in Gen. Otis' dispatch is Capt. A. S. Frost, of the Twenty-second infantry, now Colonel of the First South Dakota volunteers.

The three officers killed in that regiment are Jonas H. Lion, First Lieutenant and Adjutant; First Lieut. Frank H. Adams and Second Lieut. Sydney E. Morrison. The officer wounded is First Lieut. Paul D. McClelland.

A dispatch from Gen. Otis announces that the Third infantry has taken the place of the Twenty-third infantry, which was at the front.

Two battalions of the Twenty-third were brigaded with the Oregon volunteers and have seen severe fighting.

The Twenty-third has been recalled to Manila.

OTIS, \$1.86

Millions Given Away.

OTIS, CANE RUN, KY.

Rev. H. W. Morton of Fordsville filled his appointment here last Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. H. T. Crowe will fill his regular appointment here the third Saturday and Sunday in April.

Rev. T. J. Acton will preach here the second Sunday in April.

Rev. W. G. Stewart will preach at Salem the fourth Sunday in April.

Rev. Dugan, of Millwood, closed a very interesting meeting at Salem last Sunday night.

Rev. H. T. Crowe will preach at Fair View School house, Saturday night, April 15th.

The Sunday School was organized at this place last Sunday, with Mr. G. Wilson, Superintendent.

Miss Mary Hoover, of near Olston, is visiting her brother, Mr. S. M. Wilson, at this writing.

Mr. S. M. Christain and wife are visiting their daughter, Mrs. J. G. Wilson, at this writing.

Farmers are behind with their work in this vicinity on account of bad weather.

J. W. Bradley made a flying trip to Louisville Sunday.

Mrs. Dempsey White, of White Run, is visiting relatives in this neighborhood.

Mr. H. Short, of Huntingburg, Indiana, was in our midst last week.

Rev. H. W. Morton gives us a very interesting Sunday School lecture next Sunday at 11 o'clock.

ANDERSON

WE ALSO CARRY FULL LINES OF LADIES' AND MEN'S SHOES, ALSO A COMPLETE LINE OF FURNITURE. DON'T FAIL TO VISIT US FOR BARGAINS.

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Ours is an interesting store through April—

it's a store that most successfully meets

your needs, that offers you every

shopping advantage from a

Price and Quality

Standpoint. There's newness everywhere—

VALUES AT EVERY TURN.

It's the determination to make our store excel—to make

it at all times the leading store—that causes us

to offer you the following pleasing prices.

Below we quote you prices:

All of our dress prints.....3½c

Comfort calico.....3c

Quilt lining.....3c

One yard wide domestic.....4c

One yard wide good bleach.....4c

One yard wide tobacco cotton.....1c

Gingham.....5c to 10c

One yard wide percale.....5c

White Indigo.....4c

Dress linen.....10c

All of the newest things in pique.....15c to 25c

Ladies' seamless hose.....10c

Nurses corsets.....25c

Ladies' summer corsets.....35c

Wash silks, per yard.....50c

Black Laflata silk.....50c

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One door above Jas. A. Thomas, are now in their attractive new quarters, better prepared than ever before to give to their trade goods at prices that competition cannot touch. Notwithstanding the great advance in all cotton fabrics, we are continuing to sell at the old prices. Our low prices and uniform method of treating all alike are the great attractions to our store.

We BUY FOR CASH
We Sell for Cash.

We carry the BIGGEST and BEST SELECTED STOCK. We carry NO "OLD OR SHELF-WORN GOODS." We pay no excessive rents. We have no clerk hire. We pay no "SO-CALLED EXPERT" to do our buying. With these and many other expenses clipped off, you can readily see how we manage to sell below others. We quote:

36 inch spring Percals.....6c
Beautiful spring Ginghams.....6c
54 inch Turkey Red Damask.....15c
12½ Pretty assortment Madras cloth, all the new checks and stripes. 10c Heavy Cotton Jeans.
4 Good yard wide Domestic. 3½ New Spring Prints.
6 Spools O. N. T. 25c.
10c Ladies Seamless Fast Black Hose, actual value 20c.
75c for 10-4 bed spreads, hemmed ready for use.
25c for the famous Black Cat Leather Stockings—just the thing for boys and girls.
50c for High Grade summer corsets.
25c for 36 inch Dress Goods in fancy weaves, worth 35c.

65c for 40 inch Navy Blue and Black Serge.
10c for ladies fancy hose, worth 25c.
75c Men's good Jeans pants.
\$1.25 Men's all-wool Cassimere pants.
25c Men's Wool Hata.
Sample shirts half price.
Men's wool suits.....\$4.00
Boys' suits, knee pants.....69c.
Men's fine shoes.....\$1.20
Ladies' honest, every day shoes, button or lace, \$1.00.
Men's heavy every day shoes, solid everywhere, \$1.25.
Good zinc trunks, iron bottom, \$1.52
Good size Telescopes.....25c
Men's socks, 5c worth 10c.
Men's good suspenders.....10c
Big size handkerchiefs.....5c

Of course we cannot say all we would like to in this space, but we invite you to visit us. We will not only show you the most convenient store in Hartford, but a stock up-to-date in styles, below zero in prices. Bring us your Cash or your Eggs, Feathers, etc., and we assure you that our ways of doing business will make our house your trading place. Remember, everything marked in plain figures and one price to everybody. Very truly,

FAIR & CO.

Hartford Republican.

FRIDAY, MARCH 31.

See Carson & Co. for Fertilizer.
Field's bus meets all trains at Beaver Dam.

County Attorney Heavrin left yesterday for Owensboro.

Leave your stock with Likens & Ross when in Hartford.

Mr. John Roddy, of Render, was in town Monday on business.

Farming implements of all kinds, for sale by Henry Field & Son.

Mr. Lewis Rowe, of Echols, made a business trip to Hartford Monday.

Bring us your fat Hens, Eggs, Feathers and Wool. CARSON & CO.

Mr. W. C. Morgan, Maxwell, made us a pleasant call while in town Wednesday.

Likens & Ross will give your stock special attention when you come to court.

The very freshest and best groceries in the market can be found at Moore & Sanderfur's.

Mr. R. L. Canon, of Rosine, is the guest of our parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Ragland, this week.

For fresh bread at all hours, call on Wecker & Bonhomme, Proprietors City Bakery, Hartford, Ky.

The Hopkinsville Steam Laundry uses the "Dox it" machine to move the rough edges off of collars.

Mr. W. M. Fair left Sunday for the Eastern cities to purchase the spring stock of dry goods for Fair & Co.

Remember we don't "charge" Calico at 3½c. We sell it for CASH only. CARSON & CO.

We have reduced the price of coal at the Dr. Miller bank from 3½c to 3c. 36 W. A. MILLER & BRO.

Mrs. Chas. Rogers, Elkhorn, arrived here Tuesday to spend a few days with her parents, Capt. and Mrs. S. K. Cox.

Miss Alice Stafford has returned to Hartford for the millinery season. She is with Messrs. Carson & Co. again.

Exchanged at the Bingham entertainment an umbrella without handle. Please return to this office and exchange.

A large stock of Millinery—Everything New—Just Received at Gibbs Bros., Rockport, Ky.

"He That Stays Does the Business."

All the world admires "staying power." On this quality success depends. The blood is the best friend the heart has, and "faint heart" never won anything. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the best friend the blood ever had; it cleanses the blood of everything.

If you would be strong in the race of life and "do the business," you must "stay." Hood's Sarsaparilla makes the struggle easy. It gives clear, strong blood; hence perfect health ensues.

Hives—The itching of hives which troubled me last summer was terrible; blisters came all over my body. Hood's Sarsaparilla and Hood's Pills cured me. Mrs. MARY ASBURY, 235 South Wolf St., Baltimore, Md.

All Run Down—I was as tired in the morning as at night, had no ambition, weak and run down, could not get up in the morning. Can eat well and sleep well. Mrs. CHAS. MOLZ, 418 Madison St., Sandusky, Ohio.

Female Troubles—I would have welcome'd death at this time as a relief from serious trouble. The best physicians said my case was helpless. I stopped taking everything else and took Hood's Sarsaparilla. Now I am well and strong. I gained weight and am perfectly well and strong. Mrs. EMMA J. FISHER, Lonedell, Missouri.

65c for 40 inch Navy Blue and Black Serge.

10c for ladies fancy hose, worth 25c.

75c Men's good Jeans pants.

\$1.25 Men's all-wool Cassimere pants.

25c Men's Wool Hata.

Sample shirts half price.

Men's wool suits.....\$4.00

Boys' suits, knee pants.....69c.

Men's fine shoes.....\$1.20

Ladies' honest, every day shoes, button or lace, \$1.00.

Men's heavy every day shoes, solid everywhere, \$1.25.

Good zinc trunks, iron bottom, \$1.52

Good size Telescopes.....25c

Men's socks, 5c worth 10c.

Men's good suspenders.....10c

Big size handkerchiefs.....5c

Hood's Sarsaparilla
Never Disappoints

Hood's Pills cure Liverills, the non-irritating and only cathartic to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Col. C. M. Barnett is in town this week. Mrs. Barnett who has been sick for several days is improving now.

The blanks upon which the census of school districts is to be taken, were sent out by the County Superintendent on Wednesday's mail.

Schroeter, the leading Green river

Photographer, is now at Hartford, Call and see his work. His Photo Buttons are the fad of the day, also his Photos are finer than ever.

Mr. Lawrence Klein, who has been on the sick list for sometime, has grown worse and is now dangerously ill. He has been afflicted with a complication of diseases for sometime.

Before buying, get our prices on Wagons, Buggies, Disc Harrows, Cultivators; Corn Drills, Plows, Fertilizers, Buggy Poles, Shafts, &c., & Lickens & Ross, Liverymen.

Moore & Sanderfur, successors to Pate Bros., have replenished their already large stock of groceries and now have a complete stock of everything in their line. Give them a call. Next door to Carson & Co's.

Mr. Tom Calloway, who lived near Dundee, died of pneumonia last week. Tom was a bright, pleasant young man and his death was a misfortune to the community in which he lived. He was 27 years old and leaves no family.

Mr. B. D. Ringo was appointed Commonwealth's Attorney pro tem at Hawesville last Monday, vice J. Edwin Rowe on a whiz. Mr. Ringo is an able lawyer and an honorable gentleman and Judge Owen made a wise selection of a guardian of the interests of the Commonwealth.

Mrs. Eliza Ragland, wife of Mr. J. M. Ragland, of Rosine, died of heart failure last Saturday and was buried in the Rosine Cemetery Sunday. Mrs. Ragland was a kind Christian lady, and after an exemplary life of a little more than three score years, has gone to her reward. She leaves a husband and eleven children to mourn her loss.

Mr. R. T. Collins will open his new store to-morrow. He has a brand new line of everything to be found in a first class dry goods store.

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Moore & Sanderfur, the new grocers, kindly invite the people of Hartford and Ohio county to give them a call. Pate's old stand.

The amount of money appropriated for the purchase of garden seeds for public distribution was \$728 75 instead of \$1,000 as was reported.

We have reduced the price on all

Calicoes to 3½c and will continue to sell at that price until April 15, for cash only.

CARSON & CO.

If in need of enlarged portraits, call at Schroeter's Floating Studio and see samples and prices on best grades only.

His place of business is headquarters for such work.

Field & Son have secured an extra

stable and now have ample room to accommodate all their customers.

The politest attention and the best of feed for your horses.

Judge C. W. Massie was taken sud-

denly ill on Saturday last. He has

since been confined to his room. He

has had an attack of stomach trouble, but is improving now.

Mr. C. C. Wedding's boarding

house, 654 3d street, Louisville, is

the capital place for Ohio county peo-

ple to stop while in the city. Best \$1.00

per day house in the city.

Capt. W. J. Stone, who is trying to

help Goebel beat Hardin for the nomi-

nation of the Democratic party for

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Long Irritation

is the forerunner to consumption.

Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey will cure

it, and give such strength to the

lungs that a cough or a cold will not

settle there. Twenty-five cents at all

good druggists. For sale by Z. Wayne

Griffith & Bro.

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We have just received a carload of Plows, Harrows, Cultivators and Drills of the best make to be had and are prepared to save you money on all kinds of machinery. Call and see us before buying. Agents for McCormick's, the King of harvesting machinery.

HENRY FIELD & SON.

The program of the joint session of the College Societies rendered at College Hall last Friday night was excellent, interesting and each actor did his work well. The recitation by Miss Lucy Townsend was most excellent. It was delivered in her usual happy style and highly complimented by an appreciative audience. The work of the Societies is a great feature of the school and the work which the young people are doing is very commendable. The influence of the Societies is elevating and refining. Every young man and every young lady of town should join.

Three or four months ago Mrs. Tom Ille, of near Centertown, bought a lot of carpet rags from Mr. Marion Calvert, of that community, brought them home and laid them away for spring work. Recently Mrs. Ille began working up her carpet material and found wrapped up in it a tin box containing two zo-dollar gold pieces, one dollar silver, a half dollar and several notes. The purse was promptly returned to Mr. Calvert. It is safer in these days of prosperity to entrust savings to the bank than to leave it lying about the barn, piled up with the wood on the wood yard or even wrapped up in carpet rags.

Bingham.

Ralph Bingham made his fourth appearance on the stage in Hartford Monday night. Notwithstanding the incessant downpour of rain, quite a large number of people came out to hear him. Ralph captured the audience with the first number of his program and for an hour and forty-five minutes round after round of laughter and applause greeted him. A more appreciative audience never assembled in Hartford, nor was any even more highly entertained. An evening with Ralph means an evening of laughter and mirth. His entertainment consisted of music, song, impersonation and story telling. Bingham's impersonation of "Laska" alone was doubly worth the admission.

Ralph Bingham is a natural genius, brim full of wit and humor. He is the marvel of the age. We hope that we may be able to have him with us again in the near future.

Good health is worth more than anything else to you, and every bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla containing good health.

DIED.

On March 21, 1899, Mrs. Missouri Josephine Elmore, wife of Prof. J. L. Elmore and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Park, at the age of 21 years and 8 months.

Mrs. Elmore's friends were numbered only by her acquaintances and to them her death comes as a personal loss. She was a cultured musician and gifted singer, but only around the fireside could her real worth be known. She was buried at Union Grove Church of Christ, of which she was a consistent member.

During her illness, lasting four years, her Christian charity and faith supported her. No words of complaint were made and when the end came it was in quiet and peace as was desired by her favorite poet:

"Sunset and evening star,
And one clear call for me!
And may there be no moaning of the bar
When I put out to sea."

May that God in whose goodness and mercy she trusted, comfort and guide her husband, children, and family.

Your Best Interests

Will be served by making sure of health. It will be a loss of time and money to be stricken with serious illness. Take Hood's Sarsaparilla and pur

Come and See!

BUILDERS!

Before contracting the building of your house, don't fail to have us to make you estimates on the carpenter's work or the job complete.

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

Estimates will be furnished on application. Address all communications to

BALDWIN & HUDSON,
BEAVER DAM, KY.

We do not believe In Carrying Goods Over

For another season. We have three reasons for not wishing to do so. First—We need the room for our spring stock. Second—Goods do not improve with age. Third—We can use the money invested in them to a better advantage. Therefore we will

CLOSE OUT AT COST

The following lines: Overcoats, Underwear, Flannels, Winter Boots and Shoes, Gloves and all other Winter Goods. This is no catch. We mean business. Come, examine and see for yourselves.

S. LEVY & CO., Beda, Ky.



"Yes, We Have Arrived."

We come in haste, not so much on account of a pressing engagement as we from the fact that we had no cow-catcher on behind. Now that we are here let us remind you of the fact that

THEO. E. RECHTIN

Has on hand at the present time, the best assortment of lumber that can be found anywhere. While we think of it, let us give you a few pointers on

THEO. E. RECHTIN.

He buys in large quantities and in that way can get the very lowest price. We do not want to make it all and we are willing to divide with you. We want your trade and will name your prices on Sash, Doors, Blinds, Flooring, Ceiling, Weatherboarding, etc.

"**THAT CAN'T BE DUPLICATED.**"

For the next 30 days we will make a specially low price on entire house pattern.

THEO. E. RECHTIN,

Dealer in all kinds of Building Material, Cor. 7th & Ingle, Evansville, Ind. Agent for the Best Patent Plasters. Send for Catalogue.

A Business Education

Is absolutely necessary to the young man or young woman who would win success in life. This being conceded, it is of first importance to get your training at the school that stands in the very front rank.

The Bryant & Stratton Business College,

LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY.

BOOK-KEEPING, Seven experienced teachers, each one a specialist in shorthand, in his line. Graduates of this college preferred by business houses. Write for a beautiful book giving testimonies from graduates occupying prominent positions all over the United States—it will be mailed to you—FREE.

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NOTICE for the Benefit of the PUBLIC

Cyclone at Barrett's Ferry, Ky.

Has rushed in on G. B. Miles' Entire Stock of Dry Goods, Notions, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Groceries and Gents' Furnishing Goods and has blown the Prices Down Below Zero. I have enlarged and repaired my house and am now in better position to give my customers bargains than I have ever been since I have been in business. I began business 2 1/2 years ago with a \$150.00 stock. I have increased to \$1,500.00 and owe the praise of same to my customers. When I first began I sold at 25 and 50 per cent. profit, and then reduced to 25 per cent. and have gained sufficient trade by each transaction to make more money by the latter and now I propose to reduce my profits again to 8 per cent. This looks small and some will say that I can't do this nor won't do it, but I will show my bills and do what I say and will also explain why I can do it.

FIRST—Bear in mind that I get salary enough from the railroad company as agent for them and from the postoffice to pay all my family expenses and rent.

SECOND—By this reduction I will gain trade sufficient that I can discount my bills and the discount will pay the freight on my goods and put them in the shelves.

THIRD—My receipts now are \$400.00 a month and at 12 1/2 per cent. I make clear \$50.00 a month and now if I can get my trade doubled and my receipts run \$800.00 a month, you see I will clear at 8 per cent., \$64.00 and save my customers money and make \$14.00 more myself. So you see I can do what I propose.

I will pay the Highest Prices for Produce at all times and want 10,000 ties by the first of July, for which I will pay 25c and 25c, one-half cash and balance in trade on delivery or 25c on cash on delivery.

Consult Your Minds And Each Other

And come and price my goods before buying and I will show you that you can save money and get the Best Goods that you ever bought for the money. I have the nicest line of Shoes and Hats that ever has been brought to Barrett's Ferry, and at prices that will make them fit neat and nice.

Calicoes that will soon be out of season must go at 3c a yard and values in everything that I carry. 20lbs No. 7 sugar for \$1.00. Arbutle coffee at 15c. Thanking you for past favors and soliciting a continuance of same, I am, yours always ready to please.

G. B. MILES.

These Prices Begin February 20, 1899, and continue balance of the year.

The Smith Premier Typewriter

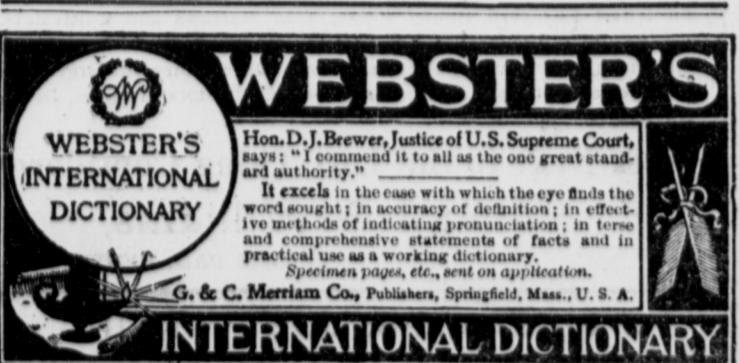
...is the... Economical Writing Machine.

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THIEVES' SCHOOL.

There is such an institution in Japan—it has long flourished.

There are two classes of children in Tokyo who become professional beggars, viz., those small unfortunate who have run away from home in order to escape barbarous treatment from inhuman parents, whose nomadic instincts induce them to get rid of their too numerous offspring, and thus the trouble of dragging them around from one village to another.

These latter confide their children to old professional beggars, who soon teach the young outcast to earn his own livelihood.

Some of these chiefs of the mendicant procession enjoy a wide reputation, and have scores of beggars and thieves in embryo under their tutelage. There even exists in Tokyo a well known house, Kodomo no Souryoja, which is a regular agency for the letting out of children.

Beggars of 40 or 50 years of age (nearly always thieves) are combat, and crippled in some way or other) call upon this firm every day and hire a child of four or five years old, in whose company they prey upon the charity of the public. The price per day for a child if from 3 to 10s (3 to 10 cents), and as the object of the child is to inspire pity, weak and ailing children fetch the highest prices.

From 5 years upward the children do their begging by themselves. At the age of 14 or 15, under the pretext of gathering waste paper and other rubbish, they prowl around the court yards of the houses and commence to thrive.

Their usual weapon is a long stick, the end of which is steeped in glue, and with which they are very adroit in removing trifles from open windows.

At 16 they are taught the art of picking pockets with skill and dispatch, and from being beggars rise to the rank of botahajiki (pickpockets) or koppalari (thieves).

There is no real difference between the thief and the beggar. The child commences as a beggar, becomes in due course a thief and takes to begging once more when old age overtakes him.

Daily lessons are given to the young thieves by the chiefs of each band, and the apprenticeship lasts as long as from 12 to 19. The whole thing has been reduced to a regular system, pocket picking and burglary are carefully taught in every detail.

One specialist spent a year in Berlin in order to acquire perfection in the art of subtilizing a purse. Since this gentleman has returned to Tokyo his class has been very successful, and has a hundred intelligent pupils at the present moment.

The whole thieves' colony is regulated by a code of laws, and these are administered with the utmost sternness. The youngest thieves keep to 100 per cent. of their earnings, the better class of pickpockets 40 per cent., and some 50 per cent. or even 60 per cent. The surplus of the profits is invested in the teaching of pupils, and employed as the chiefs of the community deem necessary for the general well-being.

Weak Eyes Are Made Strong. dim vision made clear, styes removed and granulated lids or sore eyes of any kind speedily and effectually cured by the use of Sutherland's Eagle Eye Salve. It's put up in tubes, and sold on a guarantee by all good druggists. For sale by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro.

If a man cheats you, cease to deal with him; if he is abusive, quit his company; if he slanders you, take care to live so that no body will believe him. No matter who he is or how he misuses you, the wisest way is to let him alone; for there is nothing better than this calm, cool and quiet way of dealing with wrong we meet with. Lies unheeded will die; fires unattended will burn out, and quarrels neglected become as dull as the all but extinct volcano.

Girls, don't hang around the depot, unless you are going away or meeting friends. Don't go to church and take a back seat with your escort, and then whisper and giggle during the service. Don't be loud, boisterous and slangy. Stand on your dignity; don't frisk at acquaintances quickly; don't throw yourself into the arms of every good

looking, well dressed stranger who comes to town. Be womanly, be modest, be thoughtful and serious at all times, don't unsex yourselves and thus lose woman's sweetest charm. Don't regard long legged, awkward brother as a nuisance; don't turn up your nose at your old fashioned father and his grammar, and about all don't play "a hot time" on the piano, when your good old mother is having "a hot time" at the wash tub. It is too suggestive.

WOMAN EXECUTED.

Went to the Chair Quietly And Died Instantaneously

Mrs. Martha Place was executed in Sing Sing Prison recently. She was the first woman to die in the electric chair in the State of New York, and she went to her death quietly. Death was instantaneous. Only two shocks were given. State Electrician Davis threw down the lever at exactly 11:00 a.m. The voltage of the current was 1,760, and it was continued for four seconds. It was then gradually diminished to 200 voltage, which was continued for fifty-six seconds. Dr. Irvine, the physician of the prison, examined the woman and then ordered a second shock. That was the same as the first in power, continued and for the same length of time. The second shock has always been administered at Sing Sing.

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